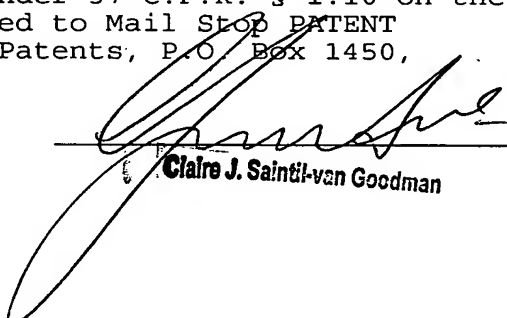


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Transmitted herewith for filing are:

1. [X] Enclosed is a copy of the prior application, including the declaration and power of attorney as originally filed and the undersigned registered agent hereby states that these application papers comprise a true copy of the prior application as filed.
2. [] A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.9 and 1.27 [] is enclosed, [X] was filed in the prior application (copy enclosed) and such status is still proper and desired (37 C.F.R. § 1.28(a)).

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- ☒ with the filing of the application.
- ☐ more than three months from the application filing date but before the mailing date of the first Office Action on the merits.
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